HOUSE BILL 1314 By DeBerry J

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49 and Title 71, relative to transportation of children.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-502(d)(7)(C), is amended by deleting subdivisin (iii) thereof and by substituting instead the following:

(iii) The department shall also promulgate rules providing that on and after January 1, 2006, all vehicles of a child care center providing transportation of children for the center shall be equipped with a security alarm system. The system shall be ignition-based and shall prompt staff to inspect the vehicle for children before an alarm sounds. SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

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